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ARIZONA CHAPTER OF PHYSICIANS FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

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Arizona Corporation Commission

1200 W Washington Street

Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Docket Numbers: E-01345A-16-0036 + E-01345A-16-0123

Dear Commissioners,

The Arizona Chapter of Physicians for Social Responsibility is writing to you on behalf of our constituents and future generations. We are an organization dedicated to protecting human life from the gravest threats to health and survival.

While our mission may seem grand, we see it as our duty to ask the ACC to vote no on any unjustified rate increase that might make it more difficult for Arizona consumers to pay their bills. In our research of this issue we learned that the Residential Utility Consumer Office said when the increase was first proposed that APS had not shown justifiable need for their proposed rate increase.

We hope that you will take into account our input, and keep in mind the need to provide encouragement for customers to reduce their energy use which can save both them and APS money while reducing detrimental impacts to our health. .

Thank you,

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